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The Honorable Richard M. Helms
Director Central Intelligence
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Dick:

As you may have heard through informal channels, the National Security Agency will be conducting a Workshop on Networks of Computers here during the week of 14 October 1968. The Workshop will focus on some of the major problems facing the Government as a result of the development and installation of large networks of computers which must operate in a reliable and secure manner.

The first day of the Workshop, 14 October, will be devoted to a series of formal presentations on the status and problems of a number of significant networks now existing or under development. This session will begin at 1000 that morning. General Maxwell Taylor will deliver the keynote address entitled, "The Support of the President by the Intelligence Process".

I would be pleased if you and your senior officials could join me for these initial presentations. I believe you will find them an interesting exploration of a subject which is going to have an increasing impact on many Government activities.

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for Scientific Affairs, of those of your organization who will
STAT   be attending. [ ] may be reached by telephone on
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Faithfully yours,

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